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Country: United States

Title: ABC News/Washington Post Poll: Trump/2020
Democratic Presidential Election Candidates

Survey Organization(s): Langer Research Associates

Sponsor(s): ABC News; Washington Post

Field Dates: June 28 - July 2, 2019

Sample: National adult

Sample Size: 1008

Sample Notes: None

Interview method: Telephone Interview, Cell Phone; Telephone Interview, Landline; Computer-Assisted telephone interview (CATI)

Weight Location: Columns 600-609 (xx.xxxxxxx) – Varname: WEIGHT

No. of records per respondent: 1

Usage Notes: The survey was produced for ABC News by Langer Research Associates of New York, N.Y., with sampling and data collection by Abt Associates of Rockville, Md.

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Greatly Exceeds Requirements (9)

CORE	AVAILABLE	NOT APPLICABLE
Survey organization	✓	
External survey sponsor	✓	
Grant funding source		✓
Data collection dates	✓	
Universe	✓	
Geographic coverage	✓	
Justification for claims of representativeness	✓	
Mode	✓	
Mode other: Description (filtered on previous)		✓
Sample size	✓	
Sampling procedure: Summary	✓	
Sampling procedure: Respondent selection stage	✓	
Sampling frame	✓	
Weight Variable	✓	
Weighting benchmark source	✓	
Variables used for weighting	✓	
Response rate OR	No	
Disposition codes OR	✓	
Completion or participation rate		✓
Completion or participation rate details (filter on previous)		✓
Survey language(s)	✓	
Full question wording with all interview instructions, prompts and visual aids	✓	
ADDITIONAL	AVAILABLE	NOT APPLICABLE
External sample provider(s)	✓	
Proportion of sample provided (filtered on previous)	✓	
Use of breakout routers or chains		✓
Breakoff rate	No	
Estimated size of noncovered population	✓	
Use of incentives	No	
What incentive was provided (filter on previous)	No	
Quality control summary	✓	
% respondents removed due to quality checks (filtered on above)	No	

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ABC News' Polling Methodology and Standards

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A summary of ABC News polling standards and methodology follows.

Standards

[Langer Research Associates](#), primary polling provider to ABC News, advises the news division on standards for disclosure, validity, reliability and unbiased content in survey research and evaluates data when requested to establish whether it meets these standards.

On disclosure, in addition to the identities of the research sponsor and field work provider, we require a detailed statement of methodology, the full questionnaire and complete marginal data. If any of these are lacking, we recommend against reporting the results. Proprietary research is not exempted.

Methodologically, in all or nearly all cases we require a probability-based sample, with high levels of coverage of a credible sampling frame. Non-probability, self-selected or so-called “convenience” samples, including internet opt-in, e-mail, “blast fax,” call-in, street intercept and non-probability mail-in samples do not meet our standards for validity and reliability, and we recommend against reporting them.

We do accept some probability-based surveys that do not meet our own methodological standards – in terms of within-household respondent selection, for example – but may recommend cautious use of such data, with qualifying language. We recommend against reporting others, such as pre-recorded autodialed surveys, even when a random-digit dialed telephone sample is employed.

Langer Research Associates has published briefing papers summarizing recent research on non-probability sampling, including [opt-in online surveys](#), the use of [social media](#) (and related approaches) to estimate public opinion and [challenges in the use of “big data.”](#) We’ve also commented on non-probability sampling in the [Fall 2013 issue of the Journal of Survey Statistics and Methodology](#) and in a [2012 presentation](#) at the annual conference of the American Association for Public Opinion Research.

In terms of survey content, we examine methodological statements for misleading or false claims, questionnaires for leading or biasing wording or ordering, and analyses and news releases for inaccurate or selective conclusions.

In addition to recommending against reporting surveys that do not meet appropriate standards for validity and reliability, we promote and strongly encourage the reporting of good-quality polls that break new ground in opinion research.

Sample Design

ABC and The Washington Post direct the methodological approach to full-length ABC/Post polls in consultation with our field work provider for these surveys, Abt SRBI of New York, N.Y. Shorter-length ABC/Post polls are conducted via an omnibus survey produced by SSRS of Media, Pa. See methodological details [here](#). Additionally, as of August 2016, ABC News is partnering with SSRS on polling conducted via the online SSRS Probability Panel; see details [here](#).

Before October 2008, full-length ABC/Post polls were conducted by calling samples of landline telephone numbers only. From October 2008 through June 2015 we added cell phone interviews via a non-overlapping dual-frame sample design, with separate sampling frames for landline and cell phone-only respondents, as detailed in this [paper](#). The cell phone-only proportion, based on data from the National Health Interview Survey, grew from 100 out of 1,000 interviews to 335 per 1,000 during this period.

The non-overlapping design served well, especially through a time in which cell phone interviews were much costlier than landline interviews. However, the cost differential has flattened over time and the incidence of cell phone use has continued to grow, producing a shortfall in the number of young adults reached via this design. As a result, in July 2015 we adopted an overlapping dual frame sample design, in which cell phone respondents are interviewed regardless of whether or not they also have a landline.

The proportion of cell phone interviews again is driven by the NHIS estimate of cell phone-only respondents; to achieve our target, 65 percent of all interviews are conducted by cell phone, with the remaining 35 percent interviewed via landline.

Sampling

Cell phone and landline samples are produced by Survey Sampling Inc. of Shelton, Conn. For landline interviews, SSI selects a sample of landline households in the continental United States via random digit dialing, in which all landline telephone numbers, listed and unlisted, have an equal probability of selection. Landline numbers are drawn proportionate to their estimated distribution in the country's nine Census divisions.

SSI starts with a database of all listed landline telephone numbers, updated on a four- to six-week rolling basis, 25 percent of listings at a time. This database of directory-listed numbers is then used to determine all active blocks – as we define it, contiguous groups of 100 phone numbers for which more than one residential number is listed. All possible numbers in active blocks are added to the random digit database.

Until 2005, ABC News followed the industry norm of excluding all listed business numbers (compiled from sources such as Yellow Pages directories and the Dun and Bradstreet Business Data database) from the sample. However, an ABC-led study (Merkle, Langer, Cohen, Piekarski, Benford & Lambert, 2009, *Public Opinion Quarterly*) found that this “cleaning” process excludes respondents who have home-based business-listed phones and no other lines at home on which they take calls, creating 3 percent noncoverage of eligible households with no offsetting gains in productivity. As a result of this evaluation, we do not exclude listed business numbers from our landline sample, with the exception of those in business-only blocks or exchanges.

Each telephone exchange in the landline sample is assigned to the county where it's most prevalent. In the first stage of selection, the database is sorted by state and county, and the number of telephone numbers to be sampled within each county is determined using systematic sampling procedures from a random start, such that each county is assigned a sample size proportional to its share of possible numbers. In the second stage of selection, telephone numbers are sorted within county by area code, exchange and active block, and using systematic sampling procedures from a random start, individual phone numbers within each county are selected. The sampled phone numbers are pre-dialed via a non-ringing auto-dialer to reduce dialing of non-working numbers.

For the cell phone sample, SSI begins with a monthly listing of every existing telephone area code and exchange. About half of these are pooled by their producers in contiguous groups of 10 100-block phone numbers, or 1,000-blocks, with information including whether each pooled 1,000-block does or does not include cell phone numbers, either solely or on a shared basis with landline numbers.

All cell-inclusive 1,000-blocks are included in the cell phone sample. For numbers that are not 1,000-block pooled, cell phone service information is available at the exchange level only; therefore all numbers in those exchanges also are included. All numbers used in cell phone sampling are then handled at the 100-block level. Given the absence of any cell phone directory, all 100-blocks in dedicated wireless exchanges and 1,000-blocks used for sampling purposes are considered active.

For exchanges or 1,000-blocks that have been classified by their carrier as providing both landline and wireless service, each 100-block is compared to the database of landline 100-blocks; 100-blocks that appear on the landline frame are removed from the wireless frame and 100-blocks with no directory-listed numbers are retained. This ensures that the wireless frame and list-assisted RDD frame are mutually exclusive while still providing coverage of prefixes and 1,000-blocks that are classified as including both landline and wireless service.

Each 100-block is assigned to a county based on the billing coordinates of the exchange. The database is sorted by county code, carrier name and 100-block. A sampling interval is determined by dividing the universe of eligible 100-blocks by the desired sample size. From a random start within the first sampling interval, a systematic nth selection of 100-blocks is performed and a 2-digit random number between 00 and 99 is appended to each selected 100-block stem.

Interviewing

In each sample, phone numbers are released for interviewing in replicates by Census region (cell) or division (landline) to allow for sample control. Numbers are called multiple times during the field period in multi-night polls; the standard for full-length ABC/Post polls is a minimum of six calls to each number. Interviews are conducted via a computer-assisted telephone interviewing (CATI) system. Abt SRBI's professional interviewers, and their supervisors, are extensively trained in interviewing practices, including techniques designed to achieve the highest possible respondent cooperation.

For landline respondents, interviewers ask to speak with the youngest male or youngest female at home. Cell-only respondents are screened for age eligibility (18+). Cell-only respondents are not offered compensation, but a reimbursement check is offered if use of minutes is raised as an objection. Cell sample respondents' place of residence is checked and their Census region adjusted accordingly if necessary.

As of April 2013, Spanish-language interviewing was added to full-length ABC/Post polls for respondents who indicate a preference to be interviewed in Spanish. Spanish-language interviewing in SSRS omnibus surveys began in October 2009.

Weighting

Data are adjusted to account for the greater probability of respondents who have both a cell and landline phone, compared with those who are cell-only or landline-only. The data then are weighted using demographic information from the U.S. Census and NHIS to adjust for variance from population values. Weights may include average partisan self-identification in current and recent ABC/Post data, based on a standardized rule.

Until 2008 we used cell-based weighting, in which respondents were classified into one of 48 or 32 cells (depending on sample size) based on their age, race, sex and education; weights were assigned so the proportion in each cell matched the Census Bureau's most recent Current Population Survey data. To achieve greater consistency and reduce the chance of large weights, in January 2008 we adopted iterative weighting, also known as raking or rim weighting, in which the sample is weighted sequentially to Census targets one variable at a time, continuing until the optimum distribution is achieved.

From October 2008 to June 2015, data were post-stratified to Census region by sample type; rim weights then were calculated using Census parameters for age, race/ethnicity, sex and education. The precision of race/ethnicity weights was enhanced in April 2013. In July 2015, post-stratification by sample type was discontinued and Census region and phone service (landline only, dual service and cell-only) were added to the rim weighting variables. Weights are capped at lows of 0.2 and highs of 6.

Surveys commonly are weighted to the number of telephone lines in each respondent's home to adjust for the higher probability of selection of multiple-line households. ABC News has studied the effect of such weighting (Merkle & Langer, *Public Opinion Quarterly*, Spring 2008) concluding that it carries the risk of distortion, and, when done properly, has no meaningful impact on the data. ABC News polls therefore are not weighted to the number of household phone lines.

Sampling Error

Poll results may deviate from full population values because they rely on a sample rather than a census of the full population. Sampling error can be calculated when probability sampling

methods, such as those described here, are employed, using the standard formula (at the 95 percent confidence level) of $(\text{SQRT}(.25/\text{sample size})) * 1.96$, plus adjustment for design effects. There can be other sources of differences in polls, such as question wording and order and systematic noncoverage or selection bias.

As a function of sample size, sampling error is higher for subgroups. We analyze subgroups only as small as 100 cases (or very near it). See our fuller description of sampling error [here](#) and our online margin-of-error calculator [here](#).

Response Rates

A survey's response rates represents its contact rate (the number of households reached out of total telephone numbers dialed, excluding an estimate of nonworking and business numbers) multiplied by its cooperation rate (the number of individuals who complete interviews out of total households reached).

Response rates are calculated using sample dispositions. In November 2014 we [posted online](#) available sample dispositions for all ABC News and ABC News/Washington Post polls since 1999.

It cannot be assumed that a higher response rate in and of itself ensures greater data integrity. By including business-listed numbers, for instance, we increase coverage yet decrease contact rates (and therefore overall response rates). On the other hand, surveys that, for instance, do no within-household selection, or use listed-only samples, will increase their cooperation or contact rates (and therefore response rates), but at the expense of random selection or population coverage. (See [Langer, Public Perspective, May 2003.](#))

Research has found no significant attitudinal biases as a result of response rate differences. A study published in 2000, "[Consequences of Reducing Nonresponse in a National Telephone Survey](#)" (Keeter, Miller, Kohut, Groves & Presser, POQ 64:125-48), found similar results in surveys with 61 and 36 percent response rates. A follow-up in 2006, "[Gauging the Impact of Growing Nonresponse on Estimates from a National RDD Telephone Survey](#)" (Keeter, Kennedy, Dimock, Best & Craighill, POQ 70:759-79), based on surveys with 50 and 25 percent response rates, again found "little to suggest that unit nonresponse within the range of response rates obtained seriously threatens the quality of survey estimates." Still another Pew comparison, in 2012, with a yet lower response rate, had similar results. As far back as 1981, in "Questions & Answers in Attitude Surveys," Schuman and Presser, describing two samples with different

response rates but similar results, reported (p. 332), “Apparently the answers and associations we investigate are largely unrelated to factors affecting these response rate differences.”

Among many other sources, in "The Causes and Consequences of Response Rates in Surveys by the News Media and Government Contractor Survey Research Firms," in *Advances in Telephone Survey Methodology*, Chapter 23, Wiley 2007), Holbrook, Krosnick and Pfent reported that “lower response rates seem not to substantially decrease demographic representativeness within the range we examined. This evidence challenges the assumptions that response rates are a key indicator of survey quality.”

Pre-election Polls

Pre-election polling presents particular challenges. As Election Day approaches these polls are most relevant and accurate if conducted among voters. Yet actual voters are an unknown population – one that exists only on (or, with absentees, shortly before) Election Day. Pre-election polls make their best estimate of this population.

Our practice for ABC News is to develop a range of “likely voter” models, employing elements such as self-reported voter registration, intention to vote, attention to the race, past voting, age, respondents’ knowledge of their polling places and political party identification. We evaluate the level of voter turnout produced by these models and diagnose differences across models when they occur.

ABC News has presented detailed evaluations of our tracking polls at polling conferences and in published work (Langer and Merkle 2001; Merkle, Langer and Lambert 2005; also in [Public Opinion Polling in a Globalized World](#), Springer 2008; Langer et al. 2009).

Study Note

This sample excludes adults who don't have a cell or landline phone (3.2 percent, per the NHIS); who don't speak English or Spanish (1.5 percent, per the American Community Survey conducted by the U.S. Census Bureau); and who live in institutional group facilities where individual telephone access is disallowed (chiefly, adult correctional facilities), about 0.9 percent. Allowing for some overlap of these groups, the frame covers approximately 95 percent of the target population, U.S. adults age 18+.

Truncated Variable Names (SPSS Portable file)

Abbreviated Name (.por)	Extended Name (.sav)
abcsurve	abcsurvey
Callback	CallbackSmp
partycon	partycontrol

Data Locations (ASCII file)

Variable	Rec	Start	End	Format
respo	1	1	6	F6.0
project	1	7	36	A30
samptype	1	37	37	F1.0
samporig	1	38	39	F2.0
date8	1	40	47	F8.0
night	1	48	48	F1.0
nights	1	49	49	F1.0
tele_7	1	50	53	F4.0
survlgth	1	54	57	F4.2
tzone	1	58	59	F2.0
reg4	1	60	61	F2.0
nreg4	1	62	62	F1.0
censdiv	1	63	64	F2.0
ncensdiv	1	65	66	F2.0
abcnum	1	67	68	F2.0
stcode	1	69	74	A6
msaflag	1	75	80	A6
msa	1	81	85	F5.0
usr	1	86	91	A6
nusr	1	92	92	F1.0
pctblack	1	93	101	A9
pctasian	1	102	110	A9
pcthispc	1	111	119	A9
times	1	120	124	F5.0
qsex	1	125	126	F2.0
busflag	1	127	128	F2.0
intrace	1	129	130	F2.0
intgend	1	131	132	F2.0
censusr	1	133	134	F2.0
abcsurvey	1	135	138	F4.0
survtype	1	139	142	F4.0
year	1	143	146	F4.0
qs1	1	147	147	F1.0
q921	1	148	148	F1.0
q1	1	149	149	F1.0
q1net	1	150	150	F1.0
q1x_1	1	151	151	F1.0
q1x_2	1	152	152	F1.0
q1x_3	1	153	153	F1.0
q1x_4	1	154	154	F1.0
q1x_5	1	155	155	F1.0
q1x_6	1	156	156	F1.0
q1x_7	1	157	157	F1.0
q1x_8	1	158	158	F1.0

q1x_9	1	159	159	F1.0
q2	1	160	160	F1.0
q2net	1	161	161	F1.0
q901	1	162	162	F1.0
q901oe@	1	163	200	A38
q904	1	201	201	F1.0
partlean	1	202	202	F1.0
q905	1	203	203	F1.0
q3	1	204	204	F1.0
q4	1	205	206	F2.0
q4@	1	207	234	A28
q5	1	235	236	F2.0
q5@	1	237	248	A12
q4net	1	249	250	F2.0
q6	1	251	252	F2.0
q6@	1	253	290	A38
q7	1	291	292	F2.0
q7@	1	293	308	A16
q6net	1	309	310	F2.0
q8	1	311	311	F1.0
q8net	1	312	312	F1.0
q9	1	313	314	F2.0
q9@	1	315	332	A18
q10	1	333	334	F2.0
q10@	1	335	342	A8
q9net	1	343	344	F2.0
q11	1	345	346	F2.0
q15_1	1	347	348	F2.0
q15_2	1	349	350	F2.0
q12	1	351	351	F1.0
q12@	1	352	408	A57
q12net	1	409	409	F1.0
q13_1	1	410	417	F8.2
q13_2	1	418	425	F8.2
q13_3	1	426	433	F8.2
q13_4	1	434	441	F8.2
q14_1	1	442	449	F8.2
q14_2	1	450	457	F8.2
q14_3	1	458	465	F8.2
q14_4	1	466	473	F8.2
q16_1	1	474	474	F1.0
q17_1	1	475	475	F1.0
q16_1net	1	476	476	F1.0
q16_2	1	477	477	F1.0
q17_2	1	478	478	F1.0
q16_2net	1	479	479	F1.0
q16_3	1	480	480	F1.0

q17_3	1	481	481	F1.0
q16_3net	1	482	482	F1.0
q16_4	1	483	483	F1.0
q17_4	1	484	484	F1.0
q16_4net	1	485	485	F1.0
q16_5	1	486	486	F1.0
q17_5	1	487	487	F1.0
q16_5net	1	488	488	F1.0
q18	1	489	489	F1.0
q18net	1	490	490	F1.0
q19	1	491	491	F1.0
q19net	1	492	492	F1.0
q19anet	1	493	493	F1.0
q20	1	494	494	F1.0
q20net	1	495	495	F1.0
q20anet	1	496	496	F1.0
q21	1	497	497	F1.0
q22	1	498	498	F1.0
q22net	1	499	499	F1.0
q23_1	1	500	500	F1.0
q23_1net	1	501	501	F1.0
q23_2	1	502	502	F1.0
q23_2net	1	503	503	F1.0
q23_3	1	504	504	F1.0
q23_3net	1	505	505	F1.0
q23_4	1	506	506	F1.0
q23_4net	1	507	507	F1.0
q23_5	1	508	508	F1.0
q23_5net	1	509	509	F1.0
q23_6	1	510	510	F1.0
q23_6net	1	511	511	F1.0
q23_7	1	512	512	F1.0
q23_7net	1	513	513	F1.0
q23_8	1	514	514	F1.0
q23_8net	1	515	515	F1.0
q23_9	1	516	516	F1.0
q23_9net	1	517	517	F1.0
q24	1	518	518	F1.0
q24net	1	519	519	F1.0
q25	1	520	520	F1.0
q26	1	521	521	F1.0
q25net	1	522	522	F1.0
q27	1	523	523	F1.0
q27net	1	524	524	F1.0
q28	1	525	525	F1.0
q29	1	526	526	F1.0
q908a	1	527	527	F1.0

q908b	1	528	528	F1.0
q908c	1	529	529	F1.0
ideo5	1	530	530	F1.0
q909	1	531	531	F1.0
q909a	1	532	532	F1.0
edubreak	1	533	533	F1.0
colleduc	1	534	534	F1.0
educnew	1	535	535	F1.0
q910	1	536	537	F2.0
q910a	1	538	538	F1.0
agebreak	1	539	539	F1.0
q911	1	540	541	F2.0
q911sup	1	542	543	F2.0
q911n	1	544	544	F1.0
q911aa	1	545	546	F2.0
q911aa@	1	547	564	A18
q911a	1	565	565	F1.0
q911b	1	566	566	F1.0
relnet	1	567	567	F1.0
q918	1	568	568	F1.0
q918x	1	569	569	F1.0
racenet	1	570	570	F1.0
wep	1	571	571	F1.0
hisprace	1	572	572	F1.0
whtsxcol	1	573	573	F1.0
income	1	574	574	F1.0
income2	1	575	575	F1.0
q920a	1	576	576	F1.0
l1	1	577	577	F1.0
c1	1	578	578	F1.0
phonstat	1	579	579	F1.0
q924	1	580	580	F1.0
q924net	1	581	581	F1.0
incent	1	582	582	F1.0
stcode2	1	583	588	A6
lang	1	589	589	F1.0
partycontrol	1	590	597	F8.2
SITE	1	598	598	F1.0
CallbackSmp	1	599	599	F1.0
weight	1	600	609	F10.7

ABC News/Washington Post Poll #1206: July National Poll

<u>SAMPTYPE</u>	<u>DEFINITION</u>
1	Landline RDD Sample
2	Landline Oversample
3	Cell Phone Sample
4	Cell Phone Oversample

READ STANDARD INTRO3 IF SAMPTYPE=1,2 (LANDLINE):

Hello, I'm (NAME), calling for the ABC News public opinion poll. We're not selling anything, just doing an opinion poll on interesting subjects in the news. Out of all the people age 18 or older who are AT HOME RIGHT NOW, may I please speak to the YOUNGEST (male/female)? *(IF NO MALE/FEMALE IN THE HOUSEHOLD, ASK: Then may I please speak to the YOUNGEST (female/male)?)*

READ INTRO4 IF SAMPTYPE=3,4 (CELL PHONE):

Hello, I'm (NAME), calling for the ABC News public opinion poll. We're not selling anything, just doing an opinion poll on interesting subjects in the news.

IF RESPONDENT SITUATION/LOCATION IS INCONVENIENT, E.G. RESPONDENT IS DRIVING, SCHEDULE CALLBACK.

*****ASK IF INTRO4=1 (CELL PHONE)*****

S1. Are you at least 18 years old, or under 18?

1 Yes, 18+

CONTINUE TO Q1

2 No, Under 18

TERMINATE, DISPO AS "CELL/UNDER 18"

IF CALL DROPS OR BECOMES UNINTELLIGIBLE, RECALL IN FIVE MINUTES. IF NO ANSWER, TRY AGAIN IN APPROXIMATELY ONE HOUR. IF NO CONNECT, LEAVE MESSAGE: Hello, I'm (NAME) calling for the ABC News public opinion poll. Our call dropped earlier. I'll try you again later. **CONTINUE RECALLS EVERY HOUR OR TWO UNTIL SHIFT ENDS. CONTINUE RETRYING WITH NEXT SHIFT.**

IF SAMPTYPE=3,4 (CELL PHONE), IF RESPONDENT ASKS ABOUT OR OBJECTS TO COST OF CALL OR LOSS OF MINUTES DURING ANY PART OF THE INTERVIEW, TYPE "CELL" AT PROMPT TO REACH THE FOLLOWING SCREEN:

COM. **(TO BE READ IF CELL PHONE RESPONDENT ASKS ABOUT OR OBJECTS TO COST OF CALL OR LOSS OF MINUTES)** We are able to offer you ten dollars as reimbursement for the use of your cell phone minutes for this call. If you complete the full survey, I will ask for your mailing address at the end of the survey so we can send you a check. Is this OK?

DO NOT READ LIST.

1 Respondent ACCEPTS reimbursement offer and CONTINUES interview - **RETURN TO PREVIOUS SCREEN AND CONTINUE**

2 Respondent DECLINES reimbursement offer and CONTINUES interview - **RETURN TO PREVIOUS SCREEN AND CONTINUE**

3 Respondent IGNORES/DECLINES reimbursement offer and TERMINATES interview - **TERMINATE, DISPO AS "TQCOM REIMBURSEMENT DECLINED"**

4 Respondent TERMINATES interview before reimbursement offer given - **TERMINATE, DISPO AS "TQCOM REIMBURSEMENT NOT OFFERED"**

1. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Donald Trump is handling his job as president?

IF APPROVE: Do you approve STRONGLY or SOMEWHAT?

IF DISAPPROVE: Do you disapprove STRONGLY or SOMEWHAT?

- 1 Approve STRONGLY
- 2 Approve SOMEWHAT
- 3 Disapprove SOMEWHAT
- 4 Disapprove STRONGLY
- DK/No opinion
- NA/Refused

*****ROTATE ORDER OF ITEMS IN PARENTHESES*****

1x. Do you approve or disapprove of the way Trump is handling [ITEM]?

*****ASK ALL, SCRAMBLE ITEM*****

a. The economy

*****HALF SAMPLE, SCRAMBLE ITEMS B-E*****

b. Immigration

c. Taxes

d. Health care

e. Issues of special concern to women

*****HALF SAMPLE, SCRAMBLE ITEMS F-I*****

f. Abortion

g. Gun violence

h. Foreign policy

i. (Climate change), also known as (global warming)

- 1 Approve
- 2 Disapprove
- DK/No opinion
- NA/Refused

2. How much credit do you think the Trump administration deserves for the country's economic situation - a great deal, a good amount, only some or hardly any?

- 1 Great deal
- 2 Good amount
- 3 Only some
- 4 Hardly any
- 5 (VOL) None
- DK/No opinion
- NA/Refused

901. Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as: (READ LIST)

*****ROTATE ORDER OF CODES 1 AND 2*****

1 A Democrat

2 A Republican

3 An Independent - ASK Q904

4 Or what? - ASK Q904

(DO NOT READ BELOW)

DK/No opinion - ASK Q904

NA/Refused - ASK Q904

*****ASK IF NOT DEMOCRAT OR REPUBLICAN (Q901 NOT 1 OR 2)*****

904. Do you lean more towards the: (READ LIST)

*****ROTATE ORDER OF CODES 1 AND 2 IN SAME ORDER AS Q901*****

- 1 Democratic Party
- 2 Or, Republican Party
- (DO NOT READ BELOW)
- 3 (VOL) Neither
- DK/No opinion
- NA/Refused

905. Are you registered to vote at your present address, or not?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No
- DK/No opinion
- NA/Refused

*****ASK IF LEANED DEMOCRAT (Q901=1 OR Q904=1)*****

3. I'd like you to rate the chances that you will vote in the 2020 Democratic presidential primary or caucus in your state: Are you absolutely certain to vote, will you probably vote, are the chances 50-50, or less than that?

- 1 Absolutely certain to vote
- 2 Probably vote
- 3 Chances 50-50
- 4 Less than that
- 5 (VOL) Don't think will vote
- DK/No opinion
- NA/Refused

*****ASK IF LEANED DEMOCRAT (Q901=1 OR Q904=1)*****

4. If the 2020 Democratic primary or caucus in your state were being held today, for whom would you vote? (DO NOT READ LIST) (SINGLE RESPONSE ONLY)

- 1 Michael Bennet
- 2 Joe Biden
- 3 Cory Booker
- 4 Steve Bullock
- 5 Pete Buttigieg
- 6 Julian Castro
- 7 Bill de Blasio
- 8 John Delaney
- 9 Tulsi Gabbard
- 10 Kirsten Gillibrand
- 11 Kamala Harris
- 12 John Hickenlooper
- 13 Jay Inslee
- 14 Amy Klobuchar
- 15 Seth Moulton
- 16 Beto O'Rourke
- 17 Tim Ryan
- 18 Bernie Sanders
- 19 Eric Swalwell
- 20 Elizabeth Warren
- 21 Marianne Williamson
- 22 Andrew Yang
- 94 (VOL) Other (SPECIFY)
- 95 (VOL) Someone New
- 96 (VOL) No one/None of them
- 97 (VOL) Anyone/Any of them

DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

*****ASK IF NOT NAMED CANDIDATE OR WOULD NOT VOTE (Q4=95,96,97,DK,REF)*****

5. Which candidate would you lean toward? **(DO NOT READ LIST) (SINGLE RESPONSE ONLY)**

1 Michael Bennet
2 Joe Biden
3 Cory Booker
4 Steve Bullock
5 Pete Buttigieg
6 Julian Castro
7 Bill de Blasio
8 John Delaney
9 Tulsi Gabbard
10 Kirsten Gillibrand
11 Kamala Harris
12 John Hickenlooper
13 Jay Inslee
14 Amy Klobuchar
15 Seth Moulton
16 Beto O'Rourke
17 Tim Ryan
18 Bernie Sanders
19 Eric Swalwell
20 Elizabeth Warren
21 Marianne Williamson
22 Andrew Yang
94 (VOL) Other **(SPECIFY)**
95 (VOL) Someone New
96 (VOL) No one/None of them
97 (VOL) Anyone/Any of them
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

*****ASK IF LEANED DEMOCRAT (Q901=1 OR Q904=1)*****

6. Now I'll read a list of candidates for the Democratic nomination for president in 2020. After I've read the full list, please tell me whom you'd vote for in the primary or caucus in your state.

INTERVIEWER NOTE: IF RESPONDENT INTERRUPTS TO SAY THEY ARE STICKING WITH THE CANDIDATE NAMED IN THE OPEN-END, ACCEPT THIS AND CODE THAT RESPONSE.

*****SCRAMBLE ORDER OF CODES 1-22*****

1 Michael Bennet
2 Joe Biden
3 Cory Booker
4 Steve Bullock
5 Pete Buttigieg [BOOT-uh-jidge]
6 Julian [HOO-lee-an] Castro
7 Bill de Blasio [duh BLAH-zee-oh]
8 John Delaney
9 Tulsi Gabbard [TULL-see GAB-ard]
10 Kirsten Gillibrand [KEER-sten JILL-a-brand]
11 Kamala [COMMA-la] Harris
12 John Hickenlooper
13 Jay Inslee
14 Amy Klobuchar [KLO-boo-char]
15 Seth Moulton
16 Beto [BET-oh] O'Rourke
17 Tim Ryan

18 Bernie Sanders
19 Eric Swalwell [SWAL-well]
20 Elizabeth Warren
21 Marianne Williamson
22 Andrew Yang
95 (VOL) Other (SPECIFY)
96 (VOL) None of these **ASK Q7**
97 (VOL) Would not vote
DK/No opinion **ASK Q7**
NA/Refused **ASK Q7**

*****ASK IF NOT NAMED CANDIDATE OR WOULD NOT VOTE (Q6=96,DK,REF)*****

7. Which candidate would you lean toward?

IF NEEDED: I can repeat the list.

*****SCRAMBLE ORDER OF CODES 1-22 IN SAME ORDER AS Q6*****

1 Michael Bennet
2 Joe Biden
3 Cory Booker
4 Steve Bullock
5 Pete Buttigieg [BOOT-uh-jidge]
6 Julian [HOO-lee-an] Castro
7 Bill de Blasio [duh BLAH-zee-oh]
8 John Delaney
9 Tulsi Gabbard [TULL-see GAB-ard]
10 Kirsten Gillibrand [KEER-sten JILL-a-brand]
11 Kamala [COMMA-la] Harris
12 John Hickenlooper
13 Jay Inslee
14 Amy Klobuchar [KLO-boo-char]
15 Seth Moulton
16 Beto [BET-oh] O'Rourke
17 Tim Ryan
18 Bernie Sanders
19 Eric Swalwell [SWAL-well]
20 Elizabeth Warren
21 Marianne Williamson
22 Andrew Yang
95 (VOL) Other (SPECIFY)
96 (VOL) None of these
97 (VOL) Would not vote
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

*****ASK IF NAMED ANY CANDIDATE (Q6/Q7=1-22,95)*****

8. How important is it to you personally that [NAMED CANDIDATE] wins the Democratic nomination for president - is this extremely important to you, very important, somewhat important, or less important than that?

1 Extremely important
2 Very important
3 Somewhat important
4 Less important
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

*****ASK IF NAMED ANY CANDIDATE (Q6/Q7=1-22,95)*****

9. After [NAMED CANDIDATE], who would your second choice be?

IF NEEDED: I can repeat the list.

*****SCRAMBLE ORDER OF CODES 1-22 IN SAME ORDER AS Q6*****

*****DO NOT DISPLAY CANDIDATE NAMED IN Q6/Q7*****

- 1 Michael Bennet
 - 2 Joe Biden
 - 3 Cory Booker
 - 4 Steve Bullock
 - 5 Pete Buttigieg [BOOT-uh-jidge]
 - 6 Julian [HOO-lee-an] Castro
 - 7 Bill de Blasio [duh BLAH-zee-oh]
 - 8 John Delaney
 - 9 Tulsi Gabbard [TULL-see GAB-ard]
 - 10 Kirsten Gillibrand [KEER-sten JILL-a-brand]
 - 11 Kamala [COMMA-la] Harris
 - 12 John Hickenlooper
 - 13 Jay Inslee
 - 14 Amy Klobuchar [KLO-boo-char]
 - 15 Seth Moulton
 - 16 Beto [BET-oh] O'Rourke
 - 17 Tim Ryan
 - 18 Bernie Sanders
 - 19 Eric Swalwell [SWAL-well]
 - 20 Elizabeth Warren
 - 21 Marianne Williamson
 - 22 Andrew Yang
- 95 (VOL) Other (SPECIFY)
96 (VOL) None of these **ASK Q10**
DK/No opinion **ASK Q10**
NA/Refused **ASK Q10**

*****ASK IF NOT NAMED CANDIDATE (Q9=96,DK,REF)*****

*****DO NOT DISPLAY CANDIDATE NAMED IN Q6/Q7*****

10. Which candidate would you lean toward as your second choice?

IF NEEDED: I can repeat the list.

*****SCRAMBLE ORDER OF CODES 1-22 IN SAME ORDER AS Q6*****

*****DO NOT DISPLAY CANDIDATE NAMED IN Q6/Q7*****

- 1 Michael Bennet
- 2 Joe Biden
- 3 Cory Booker
- 4 Steve Bullock
- 5 Pete Buttigieg [BOOT-uh-jidge]
- 6 Julian [HOO-lee-an] Castro
- 7 Bill de Blasio [duh BLAH-zee-oh]
- 8 John Delaney
- 9 Tulsi Gabbard [TULL-see GAB-ard]
- 10 Kirsten Gillibrand [KEER-sten JILL-a-brand]
- 11 Kamala [COMMA-la] Harris
- 12 John Hickenlooper
- 13 Jay Inslee
- 14 Amy Klobuchar [KLO-boo-char]
- 15 Seth Moulton
- 16 Beto [BET-oh] O'Rourke
- 17 Tim Ryan
- 18 Bernie Sanders
- 19 Eric Swalwell [SWAL-well]
- 20 Elizabeth Warren
- 21 Marianne Williamson
- 22 Andrew Yang

95 (VOL) Other (SPECIFY)
96 (VOL) None of these
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

*****ASK IF LEANED DEMOCRAT (Q901=1 OR Q904=1)*****

11. Regardless of who you may support, which of the Democratic candidates do you think has the best chance to defeat Donald Trump in the general election? **(SINGLE RESPONSE ONLY)**

IF NEEDED: I can repeat the list.

1 Michael Bennet
2 Joe Biden
3 Cory Booker
4 Steve Bullock
5 Pete Buttigieg [BOOT-uh-jidge]
6 Julian [HOO-lee-an] Castro
7 Bill de Blasio [duh BLAH-zee-oh]
8 John Delaney
9 Tulsi Gabbard [TULL-see GAB-ard]
10 Kirsten Gillibrand [KEER-sten JILL-a-brand]
11 Kamala [COMMA-la] Harris
12 John Hickenlooper
13 Jay Inslee
14 Amy Klobuchar [KLO-boo-char]
15 Seth Moulton
16 Beto [BET-oh] O'Rourke
17 Tim Ryan
18 Bernie Sanders
19 Eric Swalwell [SWAL-well]
20 Elizabeth Warren
21 Marianne Williamson
22 Andrew Yang
94 (VOL) Other
95 (VOL) All of them
96 (VOL) Any 2 or more equally
97 (VOL) None of them
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

*****ASK IF LEANED DEMOCRAT (Q901=1 OR Q904=1)*****

15. Which of the Democratic candidates do you trust most to handle [ITEM]? **(SINGLE RESPONSE ONLY)**

*****ASK ALL, ROTATE ITEMS*****

- a. health care
- b. immigration

IF NEEDED: I can repeat the list.

1 Michael Bennet
2 Joe Biden
3 Cory Booker
4 Steve Bullock
5 Pete Buttigieg [BOOT-uh-jidge]
6 Julian [HOO-lee-an] Castro
7 Bill de Blasio [duh BLAH-zee-oh]
8 John Delaney
9 Tulsi Gabbard [TULL-see GAB-ard]
10 Kirsten Gillibrand [KEER-sten JILL-a-brand]

11 Kamala [COMMA-la] Harris
12 John Hickenlooper
13 Jay Inslee
14 Amy Klobuchar [KLO-boo-char]
15 Seth Moulton
16 Beto [BET-oh] O'Rourke
17 Tim Ryan
18 Bernie Sanders
19 Eric Swalwell [SWAL-well]
20 Elizabeth Warren
21 Marianne Williamson
22 Andrew Yang
94 (VOL) Other
95 (VOL) All of them
96 (VOL) Any 2 or more equally
97 (VOL) None of them
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

*****ASK IF LEANED DEMOCRAT (Q901=1 OR Q904=1)*****

12. Did you happen to watch either of the debates among Democratic presidential candidates that were held Wednesday and Thursday night?

IF YES: Did you watch only the Wednesday night debate, only the Thursday night debate, or did you watch on both nights?

INTERVIEWER NOTE: If respondent says "The one with candidate X," record candidate's name.

1 Yes, only Wednesday night
2 Yes, only Thursday night
3 Yes, both nights
4 (VOL) Yes, Other (SPECIFY)
5 Did not watch
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

*****ASK IF LEANED DEMOCRAT (Q901=1 OR Q904=1)*****

13. Given what you saw, or what you've heard or read since then, which candidates, if any, stand out to you as having done an especially good job in the debate? You can name up to four. **(DO NOT READ LIST) (MULTIPLE RESPONSE - RECORD UP TO FOUR CANDIDATES)**

1 Michael Bennet
2 Joe Biden
3 Cory Booker
5 Pete Buttigieg
6 Julian Castro
7 Bill de Blasio
8 John Delaney
9 Tulsi Gabbard
10 Kirsten Gillibrand
11 Kamala Harris
12 John Hickenlooper
13 Jay Inslee
14 Amy Klobuchar
16 Beto O'Rourke
17 Tim Ryan
18 Bernie Sanders
19 Eric Swalwell
20 Elizabeth Warren
21 Marianne Williamson

22 Andrew Yang
97 (VOL) None of them
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

*****ASK IF LEANED DEMOCRAT (Q901=1 OR Q904=1)*****

14. Which candidates do you think have the most new ideas? You can name up to four.
(DO NOT READ LIST) (MULTIPLE RESPONSE - RECORD UP TO FOUR CANDIDATES)

1 Michael Bennet
2 Joe Biden
3 Cory Booker
4 Steve Bullock
5 Pete Buttigieg
6 Julian Castro
7 Bill de Blasio
8 John Delaney
9 Tulsi Gabbard
10 Kirsten Gillibrand
11 Kamala Harris
12 John Hickenlooper
13 Jay Inslee
14 Amy Klobuchar
15 Seth Moulton
16 Beto O'Rourke
17 Tim Ryan
18 Bernie Sanders
19 Eric Swalwell
20 Elizabeth Warren
21 Marianne Williamson
22 Andrew Yang
97 (VOL) None of them
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

Now thinking about the general election..

16. If the 2020 presidential election were being held today and the candidates were (Donald Trump, the Republican) and ([READ ITEM], the Democrat), for whom would you vote?

How about if the candidates were (Trump, the Republican) and ([NEXT ITEM], the Democrat)? IF NEEDED: For whom would you vote?

*****SCRAMBLE ITEMS*****

a. Joe Biden
b. Bernie Sanders
c. Elizabeth Warren
d. Kamala [COMMA-la] Harris
e. Pete Buttigieg [BOOT-uh-judge]

1 Donald Trump, the Republican
2 [ITEM], the Democrat
3 (VOL) Other candidate **ASK Q17**
4 (VOL) Neither **ASK Q17**
5 (VOL) Would not vote
DK/No opinion **ASK Q17**
NA/Refused **ASK Q17**

*****ASK IF NOT TRUMP, [ITEM], OR WOULD NOT VOTE (Q16=3,4,DK,REF)*****

*****ROTATE ORDER OF ITEMS IN PARENTHESES IN SAME ORDER AS Q16*****

17. Would you lean toward (Trump) or (ITEM)?

- 1 Trump
- 2 [ITEM]
- 3 (VOL) Other candidate
- 4 (VOL) Neither
- 5 (VOL) Would not vote
- DK/No opinion
- NA/Refused

*****ASK IF NOT TRUMP IN ANY ITEM (Q16/Q17a,b,c,d,e NE 1)*****

18. Is there a chance you'd consider voting for Trump against any possible Democratic candidate, or is there no chance of that?

- 1 Would consider Trump
- 2 No chance
- DK/No opinion
- NA/Refused

*****ASK IF TRUMP IN ALL ITEMS (Q16/Q17a,b,c,d,e=1)*****

19. How important is it to you personally that Trump wins a second term as president - is this extremely important to you, very important, somewhat important, or less important than that?

- 1 Extremely important
- 2 Very important
- 3 Somewhat important
- 4 Less important
- DK/No opinion
- NA/Refused

*****ASK IF NOT TRUMP IN ANY ITEM (Q16/Q17a,b,c,d,e NE 1)*****

20. How important is it to you personally that Trump does not win a second term as president - is this extremely important to you, very important, somewhat important, or less important than that?

- 1 Extremely important
- 2 Very important
- 3 Somewhat important
- 4 Less important
- DK/No opinion
- NA/Refused

*****ROTATE ORDER OF ITEMS IN PARENTHESES*****

21. Since taking office, do you think Trump has acted in a way that's (fitting and proper for a president of the United States), or has he acted in a way that's (unpresidential)?

- 1 Acted in a way that's fitting and proper
- 2 Acted in a way that's unpresidential
- DK/No opinion
- NA/Refused

22. Based on what you know, do you think Congress should or should not begin impeachment proceedings that could lead to Trump being removed from office?

GET ANSWER AND ASK: Do you feel that way STRONGLY or SOMEWHAT?

- 1 Should begin impeachment, STRONGLY
- 2 Should begin impeachment, SOMEWHAT
- 3 Should not begin impeachment, SOMEWHAT
- 4 Should not begin impeachment, STRONGLY
- DK/No Opinion
- NA/Refused

*****ROTATE ORDER OF ITEMS IN PARENTHESES*****

23. Thinking again about the general election in 2020, for each item I name, please tell me how important it will be in your vote for president - one of the single most important issues, very important, somewhat important or less important than that? First is [READ ITEM].

How about [NEXT ITEM]? **IF NEEDED:** In your vote for president, will [NEXT ITEM] be one of the single most important issues, very important, somewhat important or less important than that?

*****ASK ALL, SCRAMBLE ITEM IN SAME ORDER AS Q1x*****

- a. The economy
- ***HALF SAMPLE, SCRAMBLE ITEMS B-E IN SAME ORDER AS Q1x*****
- b. Immigration
- c. Taxes
- d. Health care
- e. Issues of special concern to women
- ***HALF SAMPLE, SCRAMBLE ITEMS F-I IN SAME ORDER AS Q1x*****
- f. Abortion
- g. Gun violence
- h. Foreign policy
- i. (Climate change), also known as (global warming)

- 1 One of the single most important issues
- 2 Very important issue
- 3 Somewhat important issue
- 4 Less important than that
- DK/No opinion
- NA/Refused

24. What do you think about being able to afford the cost of your health care, including the cost of insurance and your out-of-pocket costs, over the next few years - is that something you're very worried about, somewhat worried, not so worried or not worried about at all?

- 1 Very worried
- 2 Somewhat worried
- 3 Not so worried
- 4 Not worried at all
- DK/No opinion
- NA/Refused

*****ROTATE ORDER OF ITEMS IN PARENTHESES*****

25. Which would you prefer - (the current health insurance system in the United States, in which most people get their health insurance from private employers, but some people have no insurance); or (a universal health insurance program, in which everyone is covered under a program like Medicare that's run by the government and financed by taxpayers)?

- 1 Current system
- 2 Universal health insurance

DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

*****ASK IF UNIVERSAL HEALTH INSURANCE (Q25=2)*****

26. Would you support or oppose Medicare for all if it meant there was no private insurance option available?

1 Support
2 Oppose
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

27. On another subject, do you think abortion should be legal in all cases, legal in most cases, illegal in most cases or illegal in all cases?

1 Legal, ALL
2 Legal, MOST
3 Illegal, MOST
4 Illegal, ALL
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

*****ROTATE ORDER OF ITEMS IN PARENTHESSES*****

28. Should your state make it (easier) for women to have access to abortion, make it (harder) for women to have access to abortion, or leave the law on women's access to abortion as it is now?

1 Easier
2 Harder
3 Leave as it is now
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

On another topic,

*****ROTATE ORDER OF ITEMS IN PARENTHESSES*****

29. All else equal, if the election were between (Trump) and (a Democratic candidate who you regard as a socialist), who would you support - (Trump) or (the Democrat who you regard as a socialist)?

1 Trump
2 Democrat who you regard as a socialist
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

DEMOGRAPHICS: Now just a few more questions to help classify your answers.

NOTE: ADD AT TOP OF SCREEN FOR ALL DEMO QUESTIONS:

IF REFUSED: We understand and respect that this information is private, we ask only for research purposes, and all your answers are recorded confidentially.

908a. Would you say your views on most political matters are liberal, moderate, or conservative?

1 Liberal
2 Moderate
3 Conservative
4 (VOL) Don't think in those terms

DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

*****ASK IF LIBERAL (Q908a=1)*****

908b. Would you say that you are very liberal or somewhat liberal?

1 Very
2 Somewhat
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

*****ASK IF CONSERVATIVE (Q908a=3)*****

908c. Would you say that you are very conservative or somewhat conservative?

1 Very
2 Somewhat
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

*****ASK ALL*****

909. What was the last grade of school you completed?

1 8th grade or less
2 Some high school
3 Graduated high school
4 Some college (ASK IF TECHNICAL SCHOOL; IF YES, PUNCH CODE 3, FOR HIGH SCHOOL)
5 Graduated College
6 Post-graduate
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

*****ASK IF GRADUATED COLLEGE (Q909=5)*****

909a. Was that an associate's degree, a bachelor's degree, or what?

1 Associates degree
2 Bachelors degree
3 Other
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

*****ASK ALL*****

910. What is your age?

RECORD NUMBER 18-99: _____
NA/Refused

*****ASK IF REFUSED AGE (Q910=REF)*****

910a. Could you please tell me if you are between the ages of (READ LIST)...?

1 18 to 29
2 30 to 39
3 40 to 49
4 50 to 64
5 65 or older
Refused

*****ASK ALL*****

911. What, if anything, is your religion? (DO NOT READ LIST)

- 1 Agnostic
 - 2 Atheist
 - 3 Baptist
 - 4 Catholic/Roman Catholic
 - 5 Christian - ASK Q911AA
 - 6 Episcopalian
 - 24 Islam/Muslim
 - 7 Jewish
 - 8 Lutheran
 - 9 Methodist
 - 25 Mormon/Latter Day Saints/LDS
 - 10 Pentecostal
 - 11 Presbyterian
 - 12 Protestant
 - 13 Southern Baptist
 - 14 NONE
 - 15 OTHER - SHOW Q911SUP
- ***DO NOT SHOW BELOW ON SCREEN*****
- 21 Christian (Protestant)
 - 22 Christian (Non-Protestant)
 - 23 Other Non-Christian
 - 26 Christian (unspecified)
 - 27 Other (unspecified)
 - DK/No opinion - ASK Q911N
 - NA/Refused - ASK Q911N

911SUP. (DO NOT READ LIST) Code response into one of the following.

- 1 Bahai (punch Q911=23)
- 2 Buddhist (punch Q911=23)
- 3 Church of Christ (punch Q911=12)
- 4 Church of God (punch Q911=12)
- 5 Druid (punch Q911=23)
- 6 Hindu (punch Q911=23)
- 7 Humanitarian/Humanity (punch Q911=23)
- 8 Jehovah's Witness (punch Q911=22)
- 9 LDS/Latter Day Saints (punch Q911=25)
- 10 Metaphysical (punch Q911=23)
- 11 Muslim (punch Q911=24)
- 12 Native American/Indian (punch Q911=23)
- 13 Non-Christian (punch Q911=23)
- 14 Non-Denominational - ASK Q911N
- 15 Orthodox (Any Mention) (punch Q911=22)
- 16 Pagan (punch Q911=23)
- 23 Roman Catholic (punch Q911=4)
- 17 Satanist (punch Q911=23)
- 18 Seventh Day Adventist (punch Q911=12)
- 19 Spiritualist/Spiritual (punch Q911=23)
- 20 Unitarian/Universalist (punch Q911=23)
- 21 Wiccan (punch Q911=23)
- 22 Other - ASK Q911N

*****ASK IF Q911=DK/REF OR IF Q911SUP=14 "Non-Denominational" OR IF Q911SUP=22 "Other"*****

911n. Do you consider yourself a Christian, or not?

- 1 Yes - ASK Q911AA
- 2 No (punch Q911=23)

DK/No opinion (punch Q911=27)
NA/Refused (punch Q911=27)

*****ASK IF Q911=5 "Christian" OR Q911N=1 "Yes"*****

911aa. Which denomination or branch of Christianity is that? (DO NOT READ LIST)

1 Baptist (punch Q911=3)
2 Catholic/Roman Catholic (punch Q911=4)
3 Church of Christ (punch Q911=12)
4 Church of God (punch Q911=12)
5 Episcopalian (punch Q911=6)
6 Jehovah's Witness (punch Q911=22)
7 Lutheran (punch Q911=8)
8 Methodist (punch Q911=9)
9 Mormon/Latter Day Saints/LDS (punch Q911=25)
10 Orthodox (Any Mention) (punch Q911=22)
11 Pentecostal (punch Q911=10)
12 Presbyterian (punch Q911=11)
13 Protestant (punch Q911=12)
14 Seventh Day Adventist (punch Q911=12)
15 Southern Baptist (punch Q911=13)
16 Other (SPECIFY) - ASK Q911A
17 None (punch Q911=26)
DK/No opinion - ASK Q911A
NA/Refused (punch Q911=26)

*****ASK IF Q911aa=16 "Other" OR Q911aa=DK "DK/No opinion"*****

911a. Is that a Protestant denomination, or not?

1 Yes (punch Q911=12)
2 No (punch Q911=22)
DK/No opinion (punch Q911=26)
NA/Refused (punch Q911=26)

*****ASK IF Q911=3,4,5,6,8-13,21,22,25,26*****

911b. Would you consider yourself a born-again or evangelical Christian, or not?

1 Yes
2 No
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

*****ASK ALL*****

918. Are you of Hispanic origin or background?

(IF "YES," ASK:) Are you White Hispanic or Black Hispanic?

(IF "NO," ASK:) Are you white, black, or some other race?

1 White
2 Black
3 White Hispanic
4 Black Hispanic
5 Hispanic (no race given)
6 Asian
7 Other race
DK/No opinion
NA/Refused

*****ASK IF HISPANIC q918=3,4,5*****

Q918x. In what country were you born?

[DO NOT READ] CODE 50 STATES (INCLUDING WASHINGTON D.C.) AS 1 IN UNITED STATES
[DO NOT READ] CODE NORTHERN MARIANA ISLANDS, US VIRGIN ISLANDS, GUAM, AMERICAN SAMOA AS
2 NOT IN UNITED STATES

- 1 United States
- 2 Not in United States or Puerto Rico
- 3 Puerto Rico
- DK/No opinion
- NA/Refused

*****ASK ALL*****

INCOME. Which of the following CATEGORIES best describes your total annual household income before taxes, from all sources? **(READ LIST)**

PROBE: Your best estimate is fine.

- 1 Under 20 thousand dollars
- 2 20 to under 35 thousand
- 3 35 to under 50 thousand
- 4 50 to under 75 thousand
- 5 75 to under 100 thousand
- 6 100 thousand or more
- NA/Refused

*****ASK IF INCOME \$100k+ (INCOME=6)*****

INCOME2. Is that 100 to under 150 thousand, 150 to under 200 thousand, 200 to under 250 thousand, or 250 thousand or more?

- 1 100 to under 150 thousand
- 2 150 to under 200 thousand
- 3 200 to under 250 thousand
- 4 250 thousand or more
- NA/Refused

*****FIRST NIGHT ONLY FOR CELL PHONE*****

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920.1 May a reporter from ABC NEWS or THE WASHINGTON POST call you to talk about some of the things we've been discussing?

- 1 Yes
- 2 No **(SKIP TO 921)**
- DK/No opinion **(SKIP TO 921)**
- NA/Refused **(SKIP TO 921)**

*****ASK IF YES TO REPORTER CALL (Q920.1=1)*****

920.2 May I please have your first name, so the reporter will know who to ask for:

RECORD VERBATIM: _____

*****ASK ALL*****

921. **RECORD GENDER**

- 1 Male
- 2 Female

*****ASK IF CELL PHONE (SAMPTYPE=3,4)*****

D1. What state do you live in?

- | | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|
| 1 Alabama | 28 Nebraska |
| 2 Alaska | 29 Nevada |
| 3 Arizona | 30 New Hampshire |
| 4 Arkansas | 31 New Jersey |
| 5 California | 32 New Mexico |
| 6 Colorado | 33 New York |
| 7 Connecticut | 34 North Carolina |
| 8 Delaware | 35 North Dakota |
| 9 District of Columbia/Washington, DC | 36 Ohio |
| 10 Florida | 37 Oklahoma |
| 11 Georgia | 38 Oregon |
| 12 Hawaii | 39 Pennsylvania |
| 13 Idaho | 40 Puerto Rico |
| 14 Illinois | 41 Rhode Island |
| 15 Indiana | 42 South Carolina |
| 16 Iowa | 43 South Dakota |
| 17 Kansas | 44 Tennessee |
| 18 Kentucky | 45 Texas |
| 19 Louisiana | 46 Utah |
| 20 Maine | 47 Vermont |
| 21 Maryland | 48 Virginia |
| 22 Massachusetts | 49 Virgin Islands |
| 23 Michigan | 50 Washington |
| 24 Minnesota | 51 West Virginia |
| 25 Mississippi | 52 Wisconsin |
| 26 Missouri | 53 Wyoming |
| 27 Montana | NA/Refused |

*****ASK ALL*****

D1a. And may I please have your zip code?

RECORD NUMBER 00001-99999: _____

NA/Refused

*****ASK IF LANDLINE (SAMPTYPE=1,2)*****

L1. Now thinking about your telephone use... Does anyone in your household, including yourself, have a working cell phone?

- 1 Yes, respondent or someone in household has cell phone
- 2 No
- DK/No opinion
- NA/Refused

*****ASK IF CELL PHONE SAMPLE (SAMPTYPE=3,4)*****

C1. Now thinking about your telephone use, is there at least one telephone INSIDE your home that is currently working and is not a cell phone?

- 1 Yes, has a home telephone
- 2 No, no home telephone
- DK/No opinion
- NA/Refused

*****ASK ALL*****

*****IF Q921=1 DISPLAY MALE FIRST*****

*****IF Q921=2 DISPLAY FEMALE FIRST*****

924. Pardon, but I'm required to verify - are you (male) or (female)?

IF RESPONSE IS NOT Male/Female: If you had to pick, would you say (male) or (female)?

- 1 Male
- 2 Female
- NA/Refused

*****ASK IF \$10 REIMBURSEMENT OFFER ACCEPTED (QCOM=1)*****

INTERVIEWER: IF \$10 REIMBURSEMENT FOR TIME/MINUTES WAS OFFERED/ACCEPTED DURING INTERVIEW, THEN READ QD2. OTHERWISE, ENTER "2" AND SKIP TO END.

D2. Finally, in order to be able to mail you a reimbursement check for \$10, I need your full name and address:

- 1 Gave full name/address - ASK QD2a
- 2 Refused/declined to give contact information - SKIP TO END

*****PROGRAMMER: THE INFO GIVEN IN D2A WILL NEED TO BE OUTPUT AS AN EXCEL FILE AFTER DATA COLLECTION ENDS*****

D2a. RECORD NAME AND ADDRESS. (INTERVIEWER: PLEASE VERIFY SPELLING AND ACCURACY OF EACH ITEM BY READING IT BACK TO THE RESPONDENT.)

FULL NAME: _____
STREET ADDRESS: _____
CITY: _____
STATE: _____
ZIP: _____

*****END*****

Interviewer demographics

Intrace. Interviewer record race [DO NOT READ]

- 1 White
- 2 Black
- 3 White Hispanic
- 4 Black Hispanic
- 6 Asian
- 7 Other race

Intgend. Interviewer record gender [DO NOT READ]

- 1 Male
- 2 Female

Lang. Enter language of interview [DO NOT READ]

- 1 English
- 2 Spanish

